

I have been in Radio Broadcasting since College days in the late 50's. While I no longer am an owner and will be retiring within a couple of years, what the FCC decides will not play factor for me, therefore I feel I can look at the current FCC proposal regarding recording and storing all programming from 6:00am till 10:00pm somewhat differently then an Owner, or someone who will be in Broadcasting for many years.

However, I can also feel free to express my opinion easier then others because of my remaining time in the business.. I am a Christian and feel that the highly competitive metro markets have many times Appealed to the baser instincts of the population it serves.

I feel certain however, that most small market Radio Stations or their audience would not tolerate such filth. If our Radio Stations tried something like Howard Stern is doing, we would lost our entire advertising base immediately.

Has the FCC received complaints from small markets?. Have they even stopped to think of the hardship they would create on the small mom and pop operations. I think the answer would be..ablolutely not.

I cannot think of an idea more outrageous then the current proposal. Has anyone at the FCC actually thought this through at all?...Probably not...

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